

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended) A container storage box, comprising: for storage of  
a deformable container within the container storage box, the deformable container  
containing toner and comprising which comprises a flexible region and a discharging part for  
is capable of discharging the toner fluidity contents for image formation to an image forming  
apparatus via a container holding part of the image forming apparatus when the container is  
placed in the container holding part into a container loading part of an image-forming  
apparatus,

the container storage box comprising sidewall faces which prevent deformation of the  
deformable container during storage,

wherein said sidewall faces are configured to regulate a configuration of the  
deformable container in a configuration accommodated in the container loading part,

wherein the container storage box comprises a plurality of sidewall faces, at least two  
opposing ones of the plurality of sidewall faces regulating the configuration of the container  
and fixing a position of the container by contact-surface resistance with the container during  
storage, and

wherein sides of the toner container consist of a first, a second, a third, and a fourth  
pair of opposing sidewall faces, the first pair of sidewall faces not being parallel to each  
other, the second pair of sidewall faces not being parallel to each other, the third pair of  
sidewall faces not being parallel to each other, and the fourth pair of sidewall faces not being  
parallel to each other.

Claim 2 (Canceled).

Claim 3 (Original) The container storage box according to claim 1 characterized in that space is provided at an upper part of the container contained in the container storage box.

Claims 4-13 (Canceled).

Claim 14 (Previously Presented) The container storage box according to claim 1 characterized in that the container storage box comprises an indication about the contents of the container, and the container storage box with the indication being arranged so that a slanting one of said at least two opposing sidewall faces is placed upside.

Claim 15 (Previously Presented) The container storage box according to claim 1 characterized in that the container storage box comprises a first indication which identifies the contents of the container, and a second indication which indicates how to handle the container and the contents of the container, and the container storage box with the first and second indications being arranged so that the first indication is placed on one of said at least two opposing sidewall faces and the second indication is placed on the other face.

Claim 16 (Canceled).

Claim 17 (Original) The container storage box according to claim 1 characterized in that the sidewall faces are made of a sheet material which is bendable to form the container storage box, and perforations are provided on the sheet material without affecting a strength of the container storage box in an assembly state.

Claim 18 - 19 (Canceled).

Claim 20 (Previously Presented) The container storage box according to claim 1 characterized in that the container storage box comprises a partial lamination end, and rounded surfaces are provided at bending portions on a side of inner walls of the box and at the partial lamination end.

Claim 21 (Original) The container storage box according to claim 1 characterized in that the container storage box is made of either a cardboard material or a corrugated cardboard material.

Claim 22 (Canceled).

Claims 23 (Previously Presented) The container storage box according to claim 1, further comprising:

a top face and a bottom face, wherein the top face is connected to exactly two of said pairs of opposing sidewall faces, and the bottom face is connected to exactly two others of said pairs of opposing sidewall faces.

Claim 24 (New) The container storage box according to claim 1, wherein:  
the discharging part of the deformable container is within the container storage box without any part of the discharging part protruding through the container storage box.